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Interview Summary

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Date of Interview: 16 June 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 2 and 5-29.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant pointed out that the Restriction mailed 5/20/08 only addressed claims 1-20; however, Applicant had submitted amended claims at the time of filing, which canceled claims 3 and 4, and added new claims 21-29. The Examiner has included a new Restriction addressing all of the current pending claims 1, 2 and 5-29, and hereby withdraws the Restriction Requirement mailed 5/20/08.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Jeremy Luks/

Examiner, Art Unit 2837

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